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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**PATENT**

IN RE APPLICATION OF : Xiaorong Wang  
FOR : **SOFT POLYMERIC  
COMPOUNDS INCLUDING  
METAL OXIDE FILLERS**  
SERIAL NO. : 10/039,115  
FILED : December 31, 2001  
GROUP ART UNIT : 1711  
EXAMINER : Umakant K. Rajguru  
LAST OFFICE ACTION : July 24, 2003  
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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This Amendment is in Response to the Non-Final Office Action dated July 24, 2003. This Amendment is being filed prior to the Expiration of three months from the date of the Office Action. Reconsideration of the Application is respectfully requested.